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TO-DAY'S LATEST WAR TELEGRAMS.

ALLIES DEMAND THAT GREECE SHALL DEFINE HER ATTITUDE.

GREEK ADVANCES SAY SITUATION IS CLEARING.

Berlin Uneasy Over Roumania's Attitude.

300,000 RUSSIANS SAID TO BE ON ROUMANO-BULGARIAN FRONTIER.

[Reuter's Service to the "Telegraph."]

GREECE AND THE BALKANS.

ALLIES DEMAND DEFINITION OF GREEK POLICY.

November 24, 1.15 p.m.
Reuter's correspondent at Athens states that the four Entente Ministers have made a collective demarche to M. Scouloudis and have handed him a Note demanding that Greece should define her attitude.
This was immediately followed by a meeting of the Greek Cabinet.

THE SITUATION CLEARING.

November 24, 1.25 p.m.
According to Reuter's correspondent at Athens, the Ministers to-day said the Entente Note is much less severe than is generally believed. They affirmed that the situation is clearing, as the Entente's demands are now defined.

The Entente Powers demand assurances regarding the security of the Allied forces which Greece has never refused.

The public is informed that the situation is developing normally and that the Entente's demarche is of a friendly character.

PUBLIC INFERENCES.

November 24, 3.25 p.m.
The brief official announcements concerning the action or inaction of the Powers in regard to Greece give no explanations of the position.

The public had drawn its own inferences which are generally to the effect that there is a clear determination on the part of the Allies to secure themselves against surprise, coupled with strong hints of eventual contingencies which have been effectual.

THE MUNITION QUESTION.

CO-ORDINATION OF ALLIES' OUTPUT.

November 24, 7.00 a.m.
Mr. Lloyd George was engaged yesterday at the Ministry of Munitions all day, having a conference with representatives of the French, Russian and Italian Governments.
It is understood that the co-ordination of the munition output of the Allies was again discussed.

TO-DAY'S LATEST WAR TELEGRAMS.

THE FIGHTING IN THE BALKANS.

FRENCH MARINES' TERRIBLE MARCH.

November 24, 7.00 a.m.
One hundred and five French marines have reached Monastir after a terrible march from Belgrade. Their equipment had to be partially abandoned. None fell out, despite the awful conditions. They marched via Nish, Kralievo, Pristrend and Dibre, and sometimes they found it easier to slide down the mud-logged mountainsides than to attempt to walk.

BERLIN CONCERNED OVER ROUMANIA.

November 24, 7.00 a.m.
A telegram from Rotterdam states that Berlin continues to show uneasiness as to Roumania's attitude, fearing that Roumania will allow the passage of Russian troops towards Bulgaria. The public is being prepared for this development.
Semi-official statements are being issued in Berlin to the effect that 300,000 Russians are concentrated on the Roumano-Bulgarian frontier.

THE ALLIES IN THE WEST.

MR. CHURCHILL IN THE TRENCHES.

November 24, 7.00 a.m.
Mr. Winston Churchill is attached to the Grenadier Guards and is now doing his first spell in the trenches.

LORD DERBY SPEAKS OUT.

CRITICS FIERCELY DENOUNCED.

November 24, 3.25 p.m.
Lord Derby, speaking at the Stock Exchange, fiercely denounced—amid continuous cheers—Lords St. Davids and Ribblesdale for their recent speeches in the House of Lords. He gave the lie direct, from personal knowledge, to the allegations against the Headquarters Staff.

Lord Derby went on to refer to Lord Ribblesdale's statement about General Monro's report on the Dardanelles, and said that the man who gave information to the enemy went by an ugly name. He affirmed that though he was himself at the War Office he heard nothing of what Lord Ribblesdale had spoken about as being common knowledge. He demanded to know who was the second traitor who was giving this information.

Lord Derby concluded by saying that he was starting an appeal for support for his scheme especially during the next three weeks, not only for the sake of mere numbers but on account of their moral effect upon the Allies and their enemies. They were endeavouring to do, under voluntarism what Germany had done under conscription in forty years.

In the event of telegrams arriving too late for insertion on this page they will be found on the Extra.

EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

GERMAN-AMERICAN PLOTS.

OPENING OF IMPORTANT TRIAL.

November 24, 2.10 a.m.
Reuter's correspondent at New York reports that a most important trial in connection with the activities of German agents has begun. Five officials and employees of the Hamburg Amerika Line are accused of attempting to supply German warships from United States ports. The Prosecutor in addressing the jury charged Captain Boyed, the German Naval Attache, with directing the chartering and loading of vessels to supply German warships and directing an expenditure of seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars in connection with the same. He said that he would show that the conspiracy extended from New York and Philadelphia to San Francisco and New Orleans. Six hundred thousand dollars was the amount spent in San Francisco in the supplying and chartering of the three ships which met the cruiser Leipzig and perhaps the Dresden. Altogether sixteen or seventeen ships were used to carry supplies to these warships. The Prosecutor said the defendants rode rough-shod over the laws and treaties of the United States as contemptuously as if they were mere scraps of paper.

DUTCH COLONIAL ESTIMATES.

DEBATE ADJOURNED INDEFINITELY.

November 24, 2.10 a.m.
A message from the Hague states that Colonial Minister Pleyte was taken ill during the debate on the Colonial estimates, in consequence of which the President adjourned the debate indefinitely.

WAR TELEGRAMS.

RIOTS IN CEYLON.

REPORTS TO BE PRESENTED TO PARLIAMENT.

November 23, 6.40 p.m.
In the House of Commons, in reply to Sir J. D. Kees, who asked whether an amnesty would be applied in the case of the Buddhist prisoners in Ceylon who were involved in the late riots and whether an inquiry had been held into the causes of the riots and the general and relative culpability of Mohammedans and Buddhists, Mr. Bonar Law said that while all the sentences of such prisoners were carefully revised by the Governor of Ceylon, no proposals for a general amnesty had been made. Reports on the causes of the riots had been furnished by Commissioners appointed to hold local inquiries and these would be included in the papers which he hoped shortly to present to Parliament.

THE COTTON TRADE.

DENMARK PROHIBITS EXPORT.

November 23, 7.40 p.m.
A message from Reuter's correspondent at Copenhagen states that the Danish Government have prohibited the export of cotton as from the 22nd inst.

AN EQUIPMENT QUESTION.

MANUFACTURE OF OBSOLETE BANDOLIERS.

November 23, 7.40 p.m.
In the House of Commons, in reply to Colonel Tate, Mr. Chamberlain (Secretary of State for India) said he had not yet received the information for which he had asked regarding the alleged manufacture of bandolier equipment of the 1802 pattern at Cawnpore.

THE RUSSIANS.

FORCING THE GERMANS BACK.

November 24, 1.20 a.m.
The Petrograd communique is uneventful. There has been some fighting north of Lake Sventen. The Germans assumed the offensive south-west of Dwinsk but were forced to retire. The Russians on the middle Syr captured 179 prisoners and a quantity of stores.

THE ALLIES IN THE WEST.

FOG IMPEDES OPERATIONS.

November 24, 1.20 a.m.
The Paris communique reports that the fog has impeded the artillery operations. "Nevertheless" the communique continues "we silenced batteries in the Roclincourt, Aiane and Argonne regions. Otherwise the situation is featureless."

THE FIGHTING IN THE BALKANS.

SERBIAN HONOURS FOR BRITISH OFFICERS.

November 24, 1.20 a.m.
The Paris communique states that after the operations of the 19th and 20th all is quiet in Macedonia.

November 24, 11.20 p.m.
The absence of news of Rear-Admiral Troubridge and other British officers in Serbia since the Austro-German attack on Belgrade lends interest to the announcement, made this evening that His Majesty the King has granted the undermentioned officers permission to wear honours conferred on them by the King of Serbia:—Rear-Admiral Troubridge, Captain Elliot of the Marines, Lieut.-Colonel Kerr and three others.

THE ITALIANS.

SUCCESSFUL DESPERATE FIGHTING.

November 24, 3.10 a.m.
The Rome communique reports that the fighting northeast of Osavia on the 20th and 21st was of the most desperate nature. The stubborn resistance of the Austrians has now been overcome and the Italians are firmly established in their new positions. The operations around Goris are being continued and the Italians have reached the crest of Calvario. There has been a vigorous resumption of fighting on the Carno plateau and powerful entrenchments have been captured.

TELEGRAMS.

NEWS FOR BUSY MEN.

CONDENSED.

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Following a Note from the Entente Powers, it is believed in Greece that the situation there is clearing.

Berlin fears that Roumania will allow the passage of Russian troops through Roumania towards Bulgaria.

The Entente Ministers have handed M. Scouloudis a Note demanding that Greece should define her attitude.

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Lord Derby says we are endeavouring to do under voluntarism what Germany had done under conscription in forty years.

Mr. Lloyd George has had a conference with representatives of the French, Russian and Italian Governments on the munitions question.

At the Stock Exchange, Lord Derby fiercely denounced Lords St. Davids and Ribblesdale for their recent speeches in the House of Lords.

DON'T FORGET.

TO-DAY.

Bijon Theatre—9.15 p.m.
Victoria Theatre—9.15 p.m.
Happy Valley—Funeral of the late Hon. Mr. E. A. Hewett; 5.00 p.m.

TO-MORROW.

Bijon Theatre—9.15 p.m.
Victoria Theatre—9.15 p.m.

Saturday, November 27:
Volunteer Headquarters.—Police Reserve Inspection; 3.45 p.m.

Monday, November 29:
Council Chamber.—Licensing Board meeting; 2.15 p.m.

Tuesday, November 30:
Theatre Royal.—St. Andrew's Society Concert.

Wednesday, December 1:
Auction of Jewellery, etc., Mr. G. P. Lammert.—2.30 p.m.

Auction of Pearls, Hughes and Hough.—Noon.

Thursday, December 2:
Auction of Valuable Leasehold Property at Sales Room, by Mr. Geo. P. Lammert.—3 p.m.

Friday, December 3:
The China Fire Insurance Co., Ltd., Extraordinary General Meeting.—Noon.

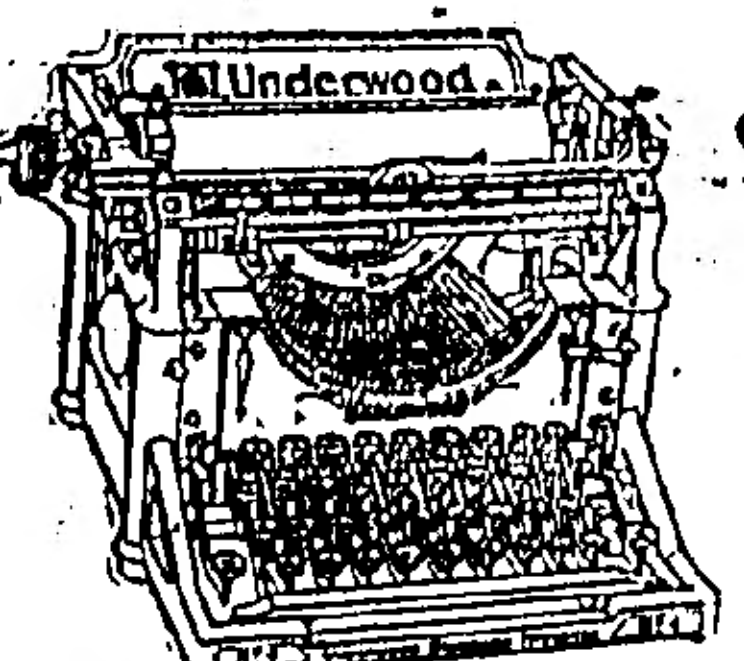
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Union Insurance Society of Canton, Ltd., Extraordinary General Meeting.—Noon.

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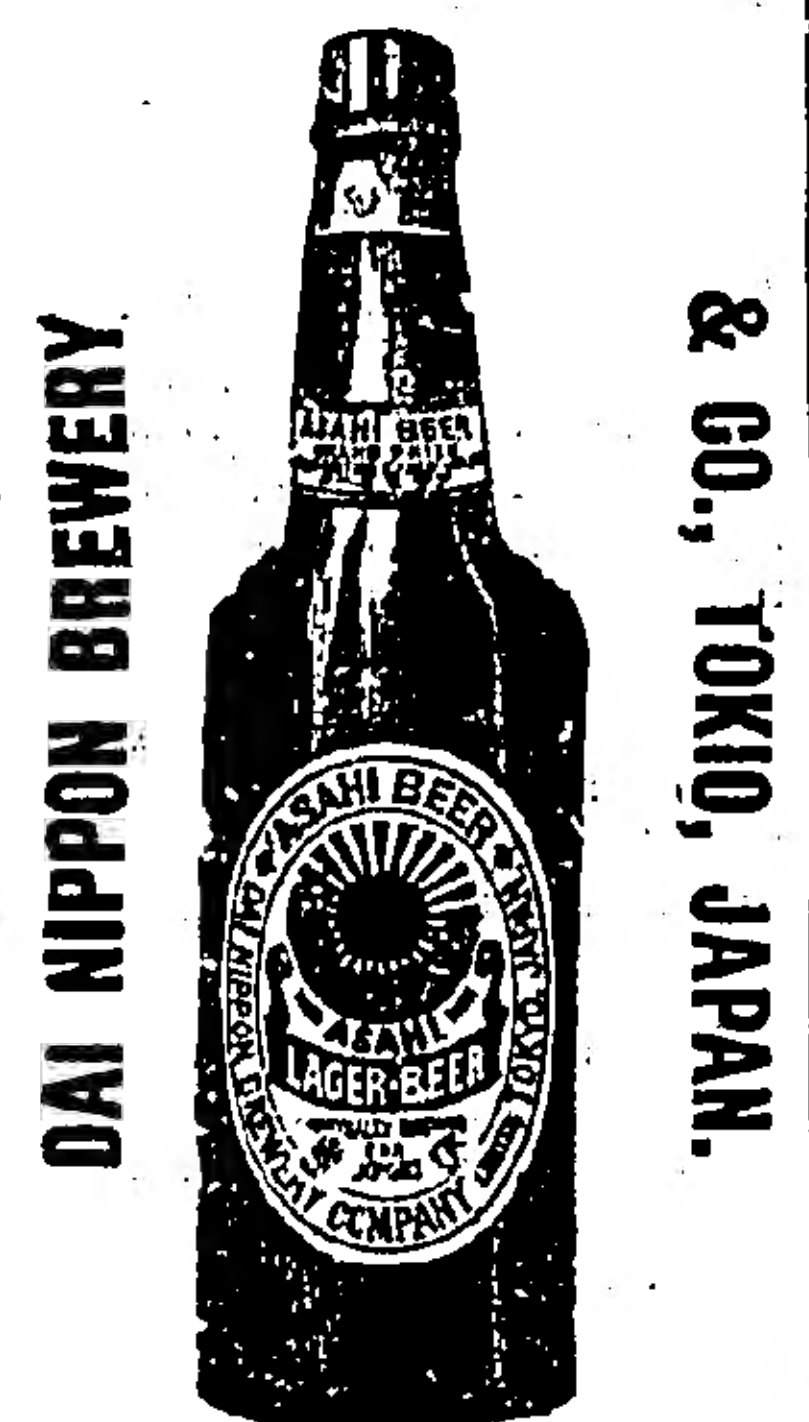
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South China Morning Post.

The Near East Campaign.
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Allies in the Near East seems to
be slowly passing. King Con-
stantine wobbles in such a way
as to inspire a hope that after all
he may recognise the moral
obligations of his country to a
sorely pressed neighbour. Serbia
is not crumbling up so quickly
and so utterly in face of the over-
whelming forces launched against
her as was expected. Persia has
put the stopper on Turkey's German
ambitions on the other side of
Asiatic Turkey, and news has just
come to hand that, while the
Allies continue to pour men into
Salonica, they are still able to
direct a powerful offensive against
the Turks on Gallipoli Peninsula.
So far, the enemy has attained a
measure of success, but the
indications of a turn in the tide
are hopeful.

Daily Press.

The Colony's Loss.
It is no exaggeration to say
that the news of the death of the
Hon. Mr. E. A. Hewitt, C.M.G.,
came as a great shock to the
Colony yesterday afternoon and
was received with profound
regret. The deceased gentleman
was at his office on Saturday and
appeared to be in his usual health
on Sunday. On Monday, however,
he was confined to his room with
an attack of malaria, and on the
evening of the following day it
was found necessary to remove
him to hospital, where, despite
every attention, he sank rapidly,
death taking place shortly after
midday yesterday. In him Hong-
kong loses a man who can ill be
spared. Vigorous and undaunted
in upholding whatever he believed
to be for the public good and un-
dismayed by opposition and de-
feat, he won the admiration even of
those who did not always see eye
to eye with him. His nature had
nothing of the ascaphant in it;
he was not one of those cleaginous
people who appear always to be
washing their hands with invis-
ible soap and water. On the con-
trary, it may be said of him that,
like Coriolanus, "he would not
flatter Neptune for his trident or
Jove for his power to thunder."

China Mail.

The Situation in the Balkans.
The good news received yester-
day from the Balkans is em-
phasised and amplified by the
news to-day in a telegram which
states that the Serbians have re-
occupied Koprut and Prilep.
The imminent danger in which
the gallant Serbians appeared to
be in but a few days ago has been
to all appearance completely re-
moved; doubtless largely owing to
their magnificent victory over the
Bulgarians in the three days'
battle referred to yesterday. This
battle seems to have been almost
as decisive as it was sanguinary,
and, as stated, it appears to have
completely altered the aspect of
the situation in the Balkans. Very
little has been heard during the
past few days of the movements
of the Austro-German forces, and
it is therefore evident that the
statement from the "German lie
factory" that a junction had been
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THE BATTLE OF LOOS.

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Graphic Letter from a Shanghai Man.

France, 3rd October, 1915.
The following letter from a Shanghai man at the front has been sent as for publication:—

You will probably be glad to hear I have got through the great battle of the last week without a scratch. Our division (47th) started the ball rolling on Saturday, the 25th September, and, after a week in the front line, we have been brought back about 10 miles to "rest," and well we needed it.

We are now in comfortable billets, getting over the most strenuous week I've ever had in my life.

About a couple of weeks before the great battle I was transferred to the Brigade Machine Gun Battery—exactly the same as the Maxim Co. S.V.C., and we have the same kind of guns as we had out there.

For a couple of weeks we were busy making new dugouts (which we found very useful afterwards), special emplacements for guns, cellars for ammunition etc. So by Friday night, the 24th September, we were all ready and moved up into our new trenches ready for the next day.

Our instructions were to open fire when a certain signal was given, on the German communicating trenches and fire over our own troops as they advanced. We were on a plateau, the advance was over a small valley and the Germans were on the opposite slope.

At 5.40 a.m., on Saturday, the 25th September, the order came through that the attack was then to start, and we saw little columns of smoke and gas rising up from our front trench. Our own artillery (which had been keeping up a steady bombardment for nearly a week) started in again, and the Germans started a most infernal bombardment, shells dropping all around us, and their rifle fire and machine gun fire was awful—most of it came on to our trench as they could not see for smoke.

That went on for 40 minutes, then we got orders to open fire with our machine guns—and they just poured it out, adding to the awful noise and confusion. We could only see 50 yards in front of us for smoke etc., but I had arranged target over night by placing my gun about 20 yds behind two ruined houses, and there was a ruin in front which gave me the correct elevation.

My own gun shot off 2,500 rounds in 30 minutes, and we were told by German prisoners that our fire on them was so severe that it prevented their bringing up reinforcements, which was exactly our object—also our own troops said it was very comforting to hear the machine guns firing over their heads and giving them support as they advanced.

Well, at the same time as our guns started, the troops in our front line started their advance—and that was the finest sight I've ever seen in my life. They went out beautifully—they knew they were going to attack one of the strongest points in the German line; they knew that many of them would be dead in a quarter of an hour? yet they went out as calm as any troops might be on a parade ground—no hurry, no panic, just a steady walk, in beautiful order, line after line of them. I felt proud I was an Englishman that moment, and proud that I had the honour of seeing them and helping them.

They carried everything before them and took trench after trench from the wretched Hun. The cowardly fired on our brave fellows up to the last minute and then threw up their arms and surrendered.

Well, by 9 o'clock we had captured Loos, and had done all that our Division had orders to do—We had fought the fight and gained our goal. That afternoon I walked over the battle field. There were still some Germans on our right flank, but they only fired on stretcher bearers, and Red Cross, and did not worry stray officers. I don't want to give you details of what I saw. Our brave fellows were lying dead all around—one fell full of sympathy for their loved ones whose knowledge that they died in a glorious cause and died like honoured heroes, must have been poor comfort.

LEADING EVENTS IN THE GREAT WAR.

Extracts from the war news contained in the "Hongkong Telegraph" of November 23, 1914.

Is Portugal Coming In? Reuter's correspondent at Lisbon states that Congress has adopted a resolution proposed by the Premier, authorising Portugal to intervene in the war at any suitable moment, in accordance with the terms of the British Alliance, and also authorising the necessary measures.

Terrible German Losses. An eyewitness with the forces operating in Belgium emphasises the terrible losses inflicted on the enemy round Ypres. After one attack 1,200 dead Germans were counted before a trench five hundred yards long. Despite such sacrifices, the Germans never succeeded in getting near Ypres and the Allies' position is stronger than ever. The German Wolf Bureau statement that 15,000 British were drowned in the Ypres Canal is a pure invention.

Unemployment Contrasts. In the United Kingdom the percentage of unemployment at the end of October was 4.4 as compared with 5.9 at the end of September. According to the official Reichsarbeitsblatt, the percentage of unemployed in Germany was 16 as compared with 2.7 a year ago. This is all the more remarkable as 27,781 per cent. of the members of Social Democratic Trade Unions are with the colours.

Food Prices. At the end of October the German Federal Council fixed the maximum prices of cereals and adopted stringent regulations to ensure economy. The maximum price of wheat in Berlin is thus fixed at 55/- per quarter. In the United Kingdom the price of home-grown wheat is 37/10 and of imported wheat 41/8 per quarter.

The Egyptian Affair. A small affair of outposts has taken place between the enemy and the Bikaner Camel Corps in Egypt. The latter fought well and killed a number of the enemy, their own losses amounting to 13 missing.

Serious Turkish Reverses. The Russian advance guards continue to repulse the enemy in the region of Erzerum. They completely defeated a column of Turks, capturing an ammunition train. We also won engagements at Kara-Kilissa and Alaschere; also on the heights of Khanasser. On the hills from Dilman to Kotour the Russians captured a park of Turkish artillery.

What a different feeling one had of a dead German! I looked on them with less respect than I should have done on a dead dog. You need to have been out here and seen what I have the past week to get the true feeling of hate and absolute contempt for them. No words can express one's feelings.

On Sunday they bombarded us with gas shells and we got some pretty near us and I had an anxious hour. I was the only officer about, and all my N.C.O.'s, were "gassed" except one. However, I kept the fellows together as our gas helmets were very good, and it passed off after an hour or so.

From Monday to Friday we occupied the captured German trenches and had a wretched time with bad weather, but they made no effort to retake them in our sector. At one time I got no sleep at all for 40 hours and then managed 4 hours only! Meals and sleep were taken if and when an opportunity offered. But after a 15 miles march I can assure you I did justice to a lovely bed here on Friday night.

I am afraid the Regiment with so many Shanghai men in—Hilton Johnson, G. A. Turner, Hill-Lellen, J. O. E. Douglas, young Cornaby and others—have had a hot time. I fear they had many casualties—they were on the left of 15th Division.

I think our attack all along the line was a great success, and just the commencement of a general offensive movement. We are all hopeful and ready for more when duty calls, though I've seen enough this past week to last me a lifetime.

YUNNAN.

Some of Its Possibilities

A Hongkong Gentleman's Interesting Impressions. (Continued from Yesterday.)

Mongtee is a treaty port, if the term is not a misnomer; and is the centre of a large agricultural and mining district. Later in these articles it is the writer's intention to deal more fully with Mongtee. But from the point of view of the railway it is important to note that it has been considered worthy of two stations of approach, Dragon Noir affording the nearest on the upward grade and Peite Teohai the most easy on the downward grade. I have only to say at this point that the rash traveller who attempts the descent from Dragon Noir in darkness in the rainy season must know:—

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- (3) The latest methods of Alpine climbing.
- (4) How to wear his money and his watch round his neck in a waterproof case.
- (5) How to go without food and drink for an indefinite period.
- (6) How to die.

Our concern, however, being the railway, we assume that the serial railway gets you to Amiteh on the second day from Hanoi—the first from Loosky.

The main point to note is that an obvious error was made in not taking the railway through Mongtee. It is difficult to understand why this was never done; and the writer has been given a dozen reasons financially, politically, and commercially, none of which are really convincing. The probable reason is that like the inhabitants of Aylesbury in Buckinghamshire the inhabitants of Mongtee did not hold with any of these "ore new fangled contraptions, the city sympathy of the old powers that were being with them.

As the inhabitants of Aylesbury did they now weep; and, feeling the need of retaliation, they are attempting a branch line, similar to the old and forgotten Aylesbury and Buckingham line. But the men of Mongtee have achieved the very same of success in cutting off their noses to spite their faces by employing persons not in accord with the French officials to build a line running from Peite Teohai through Mongtee to the mining districts, of a gauge even smaller than the metre gauge. This was indeed stupid.

However, with this digression we are moving into a new but not strange land to Amiteh, where another of these wonderful Yunnan plateaus is to be found.

Here we find the Pata Ho in its beginning, one of the sources of the West River. (This is disputed but the writer believes it to be so.)

All the time we are going up, up, up! Only these drops to the plains from time to time.

The hotels and their ranging degrees of excellence are not appropriately discussed here, but as it is always possible that

Pou Hi (or Po Hai), may fall within the traveller's ken, one must note that it is on the plateau beyond Amiteh, but in the midst of the "bad country" as far as land slides and washouts are concerned. But the folk of Pou Hi will see you through all your troubles; and you will most unexpectedly find "Johnnie Walker" "Black Label" to wash all away. Goodness knows how it is there.

Whenever and wherever the line leads down the rocky helpe. In English we call it a trolly but it is the same thing. Coasting down for 25 kilometres on a lorry is something to remember; and in a tunnel when one goes off the line in pitch darkness, there is some fun—unless there is a death. Fortunately, in a way, this does not often occur; and when it does the responsibility of the engineers and officials who have to supervise the "transbordement," and the strain on them must be overwhelming. It is marvellous how, in the face of Chinese stupidity, they keep their nerve and their heads in the way they do.

To give an instance, there is a small plateau which has an obvious outlet where the natives have made a "Barrage." This plateau is a kind of punchbowl where in the rainy season the

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AN OVERWISE TERRIER.

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water accumulates to the depth of many feet and the barrage lies outside the French sphere. In spite of all petitions, appeals and prayers, the authorities in Yunnan have replied that they cannot offend local prejudices. Local prejudices is that there are four Dragons who periodically appear in this little plateau, and require drink—when their thirst is satisfied the water will go down.

But now we have swam through floods, Johnnie Walker and good air until we are in the land of edelweiss, pears, peaches and apples—of hollyhocks, wall-flowers and stocks. Things smell and look like home.

Xi-liang, with its beautiful women, the sulphur-pit, with the first sign of Mohammedanism, and then up to another West River source, T'mg Chue Lake.

It is not easy to describe the lake if you reduce it with the setting sun in your eyes. The writer has seen Bakal in summer and in winter, but that corner peep of Tong Chue is not to be forgotten—never to be forgotten. It should be seen at the twilight hour, and seen alone.

Nearly 8,000 feet up, now and then the drop to Yunnan Fa and our journey ends.

(To be Continued.)

NOTICES.

THE NATIONAL LOAN OF THE THIRD YEAR OF THE REPUBLIC OF CHINA, (1914.) \$16,000,000 AND SUPPLEMENTARY ISSUE OF \$9,000,000.

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England, Captain Payne became
nautical adviser to the Indo-
China S. N. Co. in London. He
died at the age of 67.

The State of the Panama Canal.
Washington, Nov. 19.—Slides
continue at the Panama canal and
all hopes for an early opening of
the waterway have been aban-
doned by the engineers. The
probabilities are that the canal
will not again be opened for
at least six months. It was at
first thought that the repairs
made necessary by the recent
slides could be completed by
January 1, but the new slides
have again postponed the
opening of the big ditch. In
view of the fact that no business
will be done at the canal for at
least half a year the majority of
the Canal Zone employees have
been granted vacations in the
United States. The engineers
are bending every effort toward
combating the inroads of the
earth and rock embankments
along the Oubra out but all their
efforts are proving of but little
avail. It is expected that nothing
of permanent value can be done
until the embankments assume
their natural slopes.—*Manila
Bulletin.*

Interred Enemy Ships.
Press communiques issued at
Madras by the Commerce and In-
dustry Department, state (1) that
proceedings have been instituted
in the Prize Court at Malta regard-
ing the cargoes of the vessels
Byzantium, Spetzi, Eperos and
Erisos, and (2) giving a list of the
enemy vessels now lying in Italian
ports in which Indian trade is in-
terested, with particulars of the
procedure to be followed for the re-
lease of their cargoes. The vessels
are the Ambra at Naples, the Kat-
entum at Syracuse, the Spitzfels
at Cagliari, the Moravia at Mas-
sawah and the Axentfels, Borkum,
Christian, Osmark, Segovia, and
Sturmfels at Massawah. Applica-
tions for the release of cargoes
are to be addressed direct to the
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S'HAi, Kobe & Moji	Fooksang	Tues., 30th Nov. at 4 p.m.
TIENHSIN via W.wei	Cheongsang	Fri., 3rd Dec. at 4 p.m.
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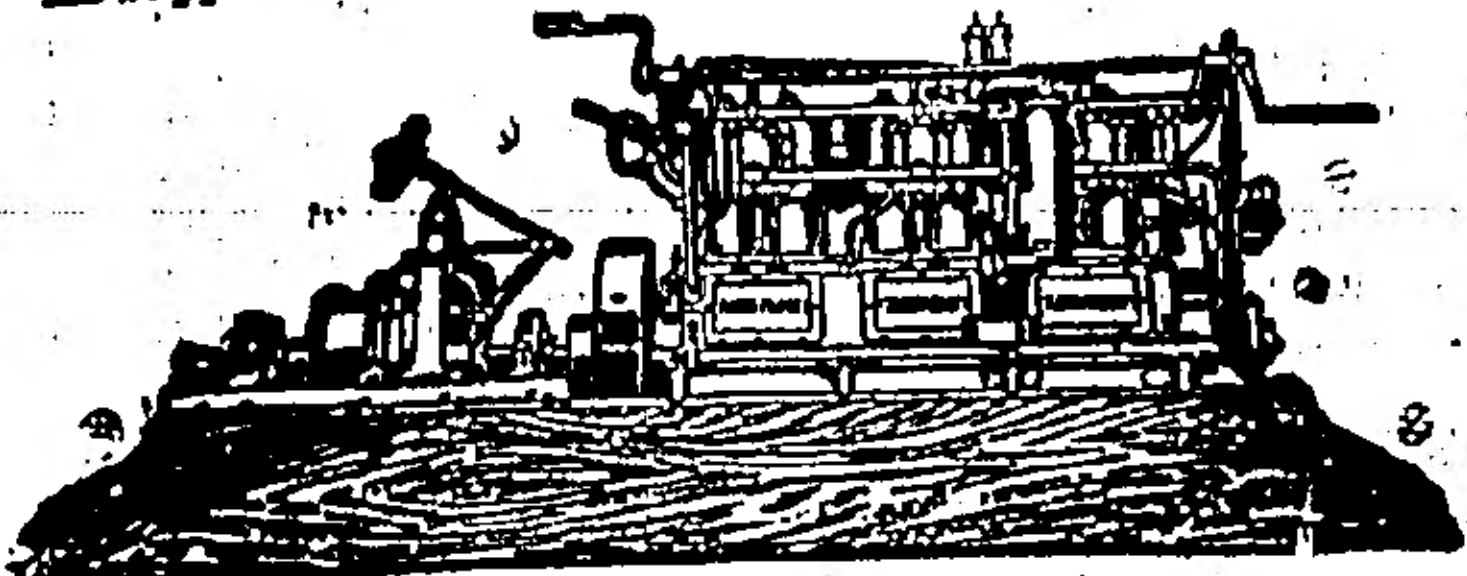
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THE HONGKONG TELEGRAPH.

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HONGKONG, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 1915

TO-DAY'S LATEST WAR TELEGRAMS.

[Reuter's Service to the "Telegraph."]
THE ALLIES IN THE WEST.
ONLY MINOR OPERATIONS.

November 24, 5.30 p.m.
Reuter's Paris correspondent says the communiques only reports minor operations.

GREECE AND THE BALKANS.
PARTIAL DEMOBILISATION; FINANCIAL DIFFICULTIES.

November 24, 11.20 p.m.
Reuter's correspondent at Athens states that a partial demobilisation of the Greek Army is talked about in Government circles.
Greece's financial position is becoming difficult. There were three successive meetings of the cabinet yesterday.

ALLIES DEMANDS WILL PROBABLY BE ACCEPTED.

November 24, 6.35 p.m.
Reuter's correspondent at Athens states that at a luncheon which he gave in honour of M. Dany Cochin, His Majesty the King discussed the Entente Note and assured the French Envoy that it would be favourably received. He acknowledged the friendliness of tone and said it would secure confirmation of Greece's assurances as to the position of the Allied troops.
The document has no time-limit, but asks for a most speedy reply.
It is believed in Athens that the Government will completely accept the demands of the Allies.

AUSTRALIAN LOYALTY.

November 24, 5.05 p.m.
Reuter's correspondent at Melbourne states that the Commonwealth Government has decided to raise an additional fifty thousand men, thus bringing up the Australian contribution by June to no less than three hundred thousand men.

VOLUNTEER ORDERS.

Orders issued to-day by Lieut. Chapman, V. D., commanding the 1st Battalion, 1st Volunteer Battalion, 1st London Regiment, are as follows:
Members of the Corps attending the funeral will assemble at the Stone Pier, Tin Lane, (Observation Place) at 4.30 p.m. to-day.
Dress: Caps, khaki drill jackets and trousers, belts and sidearms. Officers will wear Sun Browne belts (one brace) and swords. Mounted Officers will wear breeches and brown gaiters.
Parades:
All parades ordered for to-day are cancelled.
Parades for Friday, 26th instant, 6.15 p.m. Nos. 1 and 2 Sections Army Battery—10 pdr. Gun drill at Headquarters. Sergt. Bradley will attend.
6.15 p.m. Scouts Co.—Drill on Cricket Ground.
6.15 p.m. Civil Service Co.—Squad drill with arms at Headquarters.
6.15 p.m. Recruits of all units (except Right Sec. M.G. Co. and Signalling Section)—Squad drill and rifle exercises at Headquarters under Sergt. Major Higby.
6.30 p.m. Recruits of Engineer Company—Musket and Rifle exercises at Taikoo Dockyard, under Sergt. Everett.
Remainder, nil.
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DAY BY DAY.

Wig Down and Spurs.
The demands of the war on the private time of most professional men in Hongkong was strikingly emphasised at the Supreme Court this morning when Mr. F. C. Jenkin, who is appearing in the extradition case turned up at Court in uniform and spurs. It was strange to see a barrister, wigged and gowned walking across the Court to the accompaniment of the jangle of his spurs.
Stolen Fish.
At the Police Court to-day, a coolie, who gave every evidence of having been in a rough scum-mage, denied having stolen a quantity of fish from the Kowloon Godown. The head watchman stated that he saw the man there at 12.10 this morning. A struggle ensued in which he (the watchman) found that the defendant had something concealed in his waist band. Help was obtained and the thief was taken to the Police Station. Two Chinese watchmen gave corroborative evidence, and the defendant was sentenced to six weeks' imprisonment and four hours' stocks.
Chinese Charged With Assault.
At the Police Court, this morning, before Mr. Hazeland, Mr. Mason, on behalf of a Chinese client, charged 18 Chinese with assault on the 17th inst., and intimated that he had no objections to the defendants being bound over. Mr. Haywood, who defended the whole of the men, said he had no objection to this course being adopted, and his Worship bound them over in the sum of \$100.

SCHOOL FOOTBALL

The following matches were played yesterday:
Senior League.
St. Joseph's, 1; St. Paul's, 0.
St. Stephen's, 1; Diocesan, 0.
Junior League.
St. Joseph's, 2; St. Paul's, 0.
St. Stephen's, 0; Wests, 1.
Diocesan, 1; Kadoorie, 1.
Yau-mat, 3; Saiyungpan, 0.

"RHYMES WITHOUT REASON."

Some Clever Skits by a Local Man.
"Say what you can in favour of it; he's a local man," is the half-apologetic remark with which a certain type of publication is occasionally handed to a reviewer; and the reviewer in question proceeds to let the local man down as gently as may be. But there are times—admittedly rare times—when to offer such an apology would be to belittle a good man. "Rhymes without Reason," which has just been sent us by the publishers, Messrs. Kelly and Walsh, is one of the blisful exceptions, and the author, Mr. R. P. Thornefield, stands in no need whatever of any gentle "letting down."

"Rhymes without Reason" is a gay little collection of nonsense verses, probably not penned originally with any view to publication. Every page has at least some merit, and at times that merit is very great. Many of the poems take the form of particularly happy parodies; e.g., "The Battle of Customs Pass," and "The Battle of Tai Hang Range"—the latter a most ingenious skit on the local volunteer, in the "Horatius" manner. "Sanguine Suggestions" is a witty but unoriginal little satire on the local press; "Mirandah of the Verandah" is a prettily bold, while the author's apostrophes to a cheque discounter, with quite a clever rusefulness, the vanity of human wishes and the avanescent tendency noticeable in money in general, "A Tale of Guilt"—a sort of walrus and carpenter story—shows the writer at his merriest, and deals in a very satisfactory manner with the buttons of the Hongkong Volunteer. "A Touch of Nature" will appeal especially to the absent-minded, and "The Rainbow" (quite Herrickian, by the way) should find admirers in abundance by reason of its fun and its aptness. We would also draw special attention to "Beautiful Land of Dreams." This is a charming little song, reminiscent of Kipling's "Policeman Day," which we should like to see set to music, and which encourages the reader to feel that Mr. Thornefield has not yet done the best that is in him to do.
"Rhymes without Reason" deserves to be read, for, in addition to containing a lot of really good stuff, the booklet is always goodnatured in its raillery—a virtue not over common in the avowed skit.

THE CHINESE MONARCHY.

President's Alleged Refusal of the Throne.
The Kuo Chuan Pao is responsible for the report that the President has firmly decided to reject the Throne offered by the people. The paper states that, using unwillingly to assume the Imperial title, the President intends to issue a Mandate refusing to become the Emperor of the new Imperial dynasty, and at the same time disclosing the names of the three candidates whom he himself nominated as his successor in case of his inability to perform his duties. The President is reported to have referred this question to the State Department for its consideration. In his memorandum to the Secretary of State he added that, in view of the enthusiasm of the people in consolidating the foundation of the country by restoring the monarchy, he has decided that he will never accept the Crown offered by the people and that he will disclose the names of the candidates, which are now kept in the Golden Casket in the Stone House, to the Tancheng Yuan and recommend their names to the Representatives of the people for nomination. The State Department has not yet replied. — Shanghai National Review.

THE LATE ADMIRAL TSENG.

CEREMONIES AT SHANGHAI ARSENAL.

SYMPATHY OF CHINESE AND FOREIGNERS.

The highest esteem and popularity in which the late Admiral Tseng Ju-cheng was held by Chinese and foreigners alike was demonstrated in a particularly marked and impressive manner yesterday afternoon, says the N. O. Daily News of November 19, when the funeral ceremonies at the Arsenal served to show the general sympathy felt at the loss of so gallant an officer and so able an administrator.
The ceremonies commenced at one o'clock, and from that hour until late in the afternoon there was a constant stream of visitors, all bent upon paying their last tribute of respect to the memory of the late Admiral. The roads leading to the Arsenal were patrolled by soldiers, who were stationed at frequent intervals, and the immediate entrances were also guarded by bodies of troops.
Invitations had been issued to the foreign community by Major-General Tseng Te-wai, the ceremony being held in the premises formerly used by the late Admiral as offices, and on entering the visitors were met and escorted down the long courtyard by Chinese officials, prominent among whom was Mr. Yang Tehong, former Tasyin of Shanghai and Special Envoy of Foreign Affairs. There were also present special representatives of President Yuan Shih-kai, and of the different Boards and public offices in Peking.

Wreaths and Scrolls.
A remarkable sight was the number of wreaths and scrolls. The latter literally covered both sides of the courtyard and the end wall, and special prominence was given to the tablet and scroll presented to the deceased Admiral's family by the President. They were in his own hand-writing, and, as was pointed out recently, the gift is an honour which, in the history of China, few officials have ever received from their rulers. The tablet bore the inscription "His spirit inspires animation in mountains and river," while an elegy, penned by Yuan Shih-kai, ran as follows: "On the banks of the Huangpu River we witness the murder of another Tseng Pong. Our bitter lament shall remain in our bosom for thousands of ages. 'Would that Heaven would give a rebirth to another Chi Yu to help us rule the country.'"

The wreaths bore messages of sympathy to the family, and were placed on the floor underneath the scrolls. The visitors were conducted to the extreme end of the courtyard, where the body was lying in state, and where an altar had been erected. Before this the visitors made three bows in token of their respect. The late Admiral's two brothers and family were present.
Attendance of Foreign Officials.
Among those who attended during the afternoon were the Consular Body and members of the International and French Municipal Councils; and the officers of the American men-of-war in port. The flag of the various Consulates in Shanghai were half-masted yesterday.
We understand that the body of the deceased Admiral will be conveyed to Tientsin by train on Sunday. The coffin will be placed on a gun carriage and, escorted by a number of soldiers, the authorities concerned having given permission for the procession to pass through the Settlement. The President has ordered that \$20,000 be granted to meet the funeral and burial expenses, and that the United States should be invited to proper attention to the cortege. Special temples are also to be erected in Shanghai and in Admiral Tseng's native place.

CORRESPONDENCE.

[The opinions expressed by the correspondents are not necessarily those of the "Hongkong Telegraph."]
"AN OLD NUISANCE."

[To the Editor of the "Hongkong Telegraph."]

Sir,—I read with interest your article in your last night's issue demanding a campaign to be started in the Colony to arrest some of the miserable, filthy and deformed beggars who make Hongkong their happy hunting ground. It is only fair to the regular police to state that they constantly arrest these beggars, but as the procedure adopted by them is so stupid the abuse will continue till the law is amended. These maimed and deformed beggars on being arrested are not brought before the Magistrate, but are sent to Canton on the river-boats and handed over to the British Consul General. After an interval of a day or two they return to the Colony, happy in the knowledge that they will not be sent to prison, but, at the worst, sent back again to Canton at the Colony's expense. It would only be a waste of time for the members of the Police Reserve to make any arrests, while there is no Ordinance to convict these pests.
Yours, etc.,
"ONE WHO KNOWS."
Hongkong, 25th November 1915.

FORTHCOMING MUSICAL TREAT.

Return of Celebrated Russian Artists.

Hongkong people will learn with pleasure that a return visit is to be made to the Colony by Alfred Mirovitch, the celebrated pianist, and Mischel Piatro, the world famous violinist. Piatro has, we believe, been playing before the big public little more than five years, and three years ago was the winner of the 1,000 rouble prize, wrested from a large concourse of well-known musicians, when he received in consequence the Czar's personal sanction to be exempt from military service—for which act of grace all music lovers may be devoutly thankful. It is freely acknowledged that Piatro is continually improving in style and all round excellence of rendition, so Hongkong music lovers who have already had the pleasure of hearing this famous musician, should not fail to do so again on Saturday, December 4th, or Monday, December 6th, when he will figure in two concerts at the Theatre Royal.
Mirovitch's marvellous technique and his fine control of the tenderest gradations of tone have stamped him as a true artist. It has been said of him that:—"His extraordinary delicacy of touch contrasts with a great reserve of force which, perhaps, suggested rather than heard; for there are no fireworks about the playing of Mirovitch."
Both concerts commence at 8.20, the prices being as usual. Bookings may be made at Montrose.

HARBOUR OFFENCES.

Before Commander O. W. Beckwith, R.N., at the Marine Court this morning, P. O. Edward Willis charged Lau Wing-kwong, boat-master, with unlawfully dredging in the Harbour without the permission of the Harbour Master on the 24th inst. A fine of \$10 was imposed.
P. O. Chuan Singh charged Tse Sang, master of steam launch Millie, with unlawfully obstructing free access to Blake Pier, by allowing the said launch to lie alongside the Pier from 8.45 to 9.20 p.m. on the 22nd inst. The defendant was dismissed with a caution.

WEST RIVER NEWS.

[From Our Own Correspondent.]
New Hospital.

Wuchow, November 22.
The Stout Memorial Hospital, Wuchow, has acquired, from the Kiangsi Government, a site on an elevated ground at the foot of the hill immediately above the parade ground known as "Kao-to" for the erection of a much more spacious hospital with more accommodation for the sick. I understand that the hospital is short of funds and that representatives have arrived in the Colony of Hongkong to ask for monetary assistance from the Tung Wah Hospital. On the completion of the new hospital, the old one, situated in the locality known as "Tien-hou-kung," facing the river, and submerged under water to a depth of more than 20 feet in the floods of this year, will probably be sold. It is believed that the poor, sick Chinese will find themselves comfortably accommodated during the annual floods in summer which often compel these destitute people to leave the Hospital on the approach of the floods.

Cholera.
Cholera broke out at the end of last month and is now over. It has not been raging so fiercely as last year, but in most cases it proved fatal; there were about 300 deaths. This annual epidemic often breaks out at the end of autumn and on the approach of the winter and is often traceable to the effect of the dirty water used during the floods in the summer. Hygienic methods of living are unknown to the Chinese, especially the poor people, but had the Police or the Sanitary Department (Ching-tao-chun) been doing their duty, the health of the port of Wuchow might have been much better. This place is one of the dirtiest in China.

The Capital.
Mr. Arlington, Commissioner of the Postal Service, left for Nanning early this morning as the transfer of the Provincial Capital to Kweilin is not yet settled. For the time being the capital remains at Nanning—the seat of the Hunan-shih and Chiang-chun.

POLICE RESERVE ORDERS.

Orders issued to-day by Mr. F. C. Jenkin, D.S.P. (Reserve), state:
Patrols.
Printed Schedules of the Patrol duties for December, 1915, are being to-day issued to all Inspectors and Sergeants.
Joined.
No. 2 Company, J. A. C. Ribeiro, M. A. dos Remedios.
Parades, Central, 5.30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 26th.—Band of the Police Reserve. Also Recruits.
Recruits.
Nos. 1 & 2 Platoons No. 1 Company, and No. 2 Company, Tuesday and Friday, November 30th and December 3rd.
Nos. 3 & 4 Platoons No. 1 Co., and No. 3 Co., Wednesday and Thursday, November 29th, and December 2nd.
Inspection, November 27.
All ranks will be at Volunteer Headquarters at 3 p.m. sharp.
Rifles.
O. O. Companies and Platoon Commanders will note that any efficient men requiring rifles for Saturday's inspection can draw same at Central on Friday, November 26, at 5.30 p.m.

CRIMINAL SESSIONS ADJOURNED.

We are requested to state that the Criminal Sessions will be adjourned until Tuesday, Monday being reserved for the continuation of the hearing of the Habeas Corpus application.

VOLUNTEER RESERVE ORDERS.

Orders issued to-day by Major Wakeman, Commanding H. K. V. R., state:
The officer Commanding has much regret in announcing the death on the 24th inst. of Private E. A. Hewitt, of "D" Company, Musketry.

Members of "O" Co., with the exceptions hereunder mentioned, will parade on Sunday the 28th inst. at 7.30 a.m. as follows:
Kowloon Residents in front of Dock Office, Taikoo Residents at Taikoo Dock. Remainder: on Cricket Ground.

Dress: drill order with topcoat, haversacks and waterbottles filled (no pouches), and will proceed by launch to Kowloon City. Food will be taken in haversacks. All exempted members must parade unless employed on Government or Military duties between 7 a.m. and 7 p.m. on the 28th instant in which case a certificate to that effect must be sent to the G.O. "O" Co. three days in advance. A special tram will leave The Peak at 7.15 a.m. The following members will not attend:—Ptes. W. Robillard, W. G. Brownell, C. Crispin, S. Lach, A. R. Lowe, H. Macfarlane, E. Dos Veen, F. J. Goodman, D. S. Gabbay, J. Hunter, A. S. Gabbay, E. Raymond, W. H. Smith, A. Cavalier, W. Dickson, E. Irving, A. Keigwin, N. Marshall, S. Nowell, J. Kinnaird, G. M. Shaw, H. J. Sleat, and also those who did not fire Part I on the 7th inst. The following are detailed for telephone duty at Kowloon City Range on Sunday the 28th inst. and will parade with "O" Co. on the Cricket Ground at 7.30 a.m. Dress: uniform, topcoat, haversacks and waterbottles, no rifles; semaphore flags will be carried; food will be carried in haversacks and waterbottles filled.—Ptes. A. J. Carter and L. A. Coscar.

"B" Co. will parade on the Cricket Ground on Sunday the 28th December at 7.30 a.m. Dress: drill order with haversacks and waterbottles (no pouches). Prisoners of War Camp and Gun Club Hill Detachment. As in Corps Order No. 88.
Parades.
Recruits will parade on the Cricket Ground on Monday the 29th inst., Wednesday the 1st December, and Thursday the 2nd December, at 5.15 p.m. under Sergt. Major Bond. Dress: drill order. "D" Co. will parade at Volunteer Headquarters on Wednesday the 1st December at 5.15 p.m. under Sergt. Major Cooke. Dress: drill order.
All non-commissioned officers will parade on the Cricket Ground on Thursday the 2nd December at 5.15 p.m. for instruction in bayonet fighting. Dress: drill order. Officers will attend. "A", "B" and "C" Companies will parade on the Cricket Ground on Friday the 3rd December at 5.15 p.m. Dress: drill order.
Signalling Section.
Parades will be held at Volunteer Headquarters on Monday the 29th inst., Wednesday the 1st December, and Friday the 3rd December. Uniform to be worn: Posting.
Pte. A. E. Wood having joined is allotted Corps No. 563 and posted to Co. "A" Section 1.

LATEST SHIPPING NEWS.

MOVEMENT OF STEAMERS.
The I. C. S. S. S. HINGANG from Sandakan is due at Hongkong on the 1st December.
The I. C. S. S. S. POOKANG from Singapore is due at Hongkong on the 27th November.
The I. C. S. S. S. KUMBANG from Calcutta is due at Hongkong on the 28th December.
The I. C. S. S. S. HOPKANG from Shanghai is due at Hongkong on the 29th inst.
The I. C. S. S. S. OREONGSHING from Walsail is due at Hongkong on the 29th inst.

THE HONGKONG TELEGRAPH SECOND EXTRA

HONGKONG, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 1915.

TO-DAY'S LATEST WAR TELEGRAMS.

[Reuter's Service to the "Telegraph."]

GERMANS IN CHINA.

ATTEMPT TO PROVOKE REBELLION IN INDIA.

November 24, 3.10 p.m.
The Times Peking correspondent states that the sinister character of the efforts of Germans in China to cause a rebellion in India are attested by the discovery of a practice that has been in vogue for some time of forwarding to India, from Shanghai, proclamations calling on Moslems to make a Holy War against Britain. The proclamations have been written in Arabic and signed by the Sultan of Turkey, the Sheikh-ul-Islam and Enver Pasha and have been conveyed to India in false-bottomed trunks.

DUTCH COLONIAL AFFAIRS.

COLONIAL SECRETARY FAINTS.

November 23, 3.10 p.m.
Reuter's correspondent at the Hague states that the Colonial Secretary, M. Pleyte, had just demanded a vote of confidence on his religious policy in the East Indies and was defending that policy when he fainted. He was afterwards taken home in a motor car.

THE LATE HON. MR. E. A. HEWETT.

FUNERAL SERVICE AT HAPPY VALLEY.

THE COLONY'S TRIBUTE TO A POPULAR MAN.

The respect in which the late Mr. E. A. Hewett was held by all classes of the community was apparent this afternoon from the number of people, of all grades and nationalities, that assembled along the route to the Happy Valley or that followed the body to the Protestant cemetery there. The late Superintendent of the P and O. had become, as it were, an institution in Hongkong, and the general feeling of bereavement consequent on his sudden death has been most marked throughout the day. Europeans, Portuguese, Indians and Chinese were all very much in evidence, and so wide was the dead man's sphere of influence that practically every recognised organisation and house of business was represented. As goes without saying, practically every flag in the Colony has been at half-mast throughout the day.

As an old Volunteer the deceased was entitled to a military funeral. Not only was this honour accorded to him but a very large number of army and naval officers followed his remains.

Among those present at the cemetery were H.E. the Governor, H.E. Major General Ventris, and Rear Admiral Anstruther each attended by his A.D.C., the Hon. the Colonial Secretary and the other heads of Government Departments; Colonel Iles, Captain Cassel and other Staff officers; members of the Executive and Legislative Councils, the Sanitary Board, the Chamber of Commerce, Justices of the Peace, the P. and O. staff, etc.

The University (of the Court of which Mr. Hewett was, ex officio, a member) was represented by Sir Charles Elliot.

The members of the P. and O. staff who attended were:—Mr. E. V. D. Farr, Mr. E. A. Martin, Mr. A. J. W. Rosser, Mr. J. S. McCann, Mr. P. Buckle and Mr. W. Robinson.

The long train of mourners included:—

Bishop Lander, Bishop Pozzoni (accompanied by the Rev. Fr. Gabardi), the Chief Justice (Sir William Rees Davies), the Puisne Judge (Mr. Justice Gompertz), the Capt Supt of Police (Mr. C. Mol. Messer), the Deputy Capt. Supt. of Police (Mr. T. H. King), Mr. F. O. Jenkin (in command of the Police Reserve officers), the Hon. Mr. W. Chatham, Mr. F. A. Hazeland, Sir Paul Oshater, Dr. Fitzwilliams, Mr. Shelton Hooper, the Hon. Mr. E. Shellin, the Consuls General for France, Japan and Portugal, the Hon. Mr. Wei Yuk, the Hon. Mr. Lau Ohupak, Messrs. H. Peroy Smith, H. P. White, Barindoague, H. J. Gedge, Dixon, Thomas, Lowder, Ho Fook, Chan Kai-ming, Ng Hon-tsz, the Rev. Mr. Tichborne (naval chaplain), Capt. Lukmanhoff, Mr. T. Kusomoto, and the Rev. Fr. Robert.

The Volunteers under command of Colonel Chapman V.D. and accompanied by the following officers, Major MacDonald, V.D., Capt. Lammert, V.D., Capt. Armstrong, V.D., fell in at the Stone Pier opposite Tin Lok lane, whether the body had been brought from the western end of the city on board the launch Yau Lee, conveyed by a Government launch. The Volunteer Reserves were under Major Wakeman; other officers in attendance were Capt. Bruton, Lieut. Hancock, Dr. McKenny, and Lieut. Evan Jones. At the Monument the cortege was further augmented by the inspectors, Crown sergeants and sergeants of the Police Reserve.

There was a great wealth of wreaths, one of which was sent in the name of the Chairman and Directors of the P. and O.

On arrival of the launch at Observation Pier, the coffin was placed on a gun carriage, and headed by the firing party, from B. Company H.K.V.R., under Sergeant Oxberry, the procession moved towards the cemetery. The men told off to the drag ropes of the gun carriage and to act as pall-bearers were from the deceased's own (D.) Company of the Reserves. The Band of the XVIII Infantry played the Dead March in "Saul" on leaving the pier and Chopin's

NO OWNER FOR OPIUM.

Chinese Defendant's Successful Plea.

At the Police Court, this afternoon, before Mr. Hazeland, a Chinese was charged by Crown Sergeant Oygill with being in unlawful possession of 102 lbs. of loose opium and 10½ tael of opium dross, to the total value of \$1,050. The defendant was represented by Mr. J. H. Gardiner. A Chinese constable deposed that he went to 35, Tung Man Lane, from information received, where he saw defendant following behind a coolie who was carrying a basket and a bundle. The coolie put the things down at No. 35 and the defendant gave him orders to take them upstairs. He (witness) stopped him from carrying out the order. Witness asked to see what was in the basket, but he met with a refusal, so he took defendant to the Police Station. Defendant got hold of his collar and asked him to go upstairs to take tea with him and also asked him how much he wanted. Witness asked him what was in the basket, and defendant said:—"There is opium in it."

Sergeant Oygill stated that when at the Police Station defendant denied that the box was his, and also said that he had not a key for it.

Defendant, in the box, said that neither the box nor the basket belonged to him. He was giving the coolie some luggage of his own to take to the house when another man gave the coolie the box and basket containing the opium, and he (defendant) placed his goods on the top. That was how the constable came to think the stuff belonged to him.

Mr. Hazeland said that he wanted to be satisfied as to who the opium belonged to and he did not know that. The defendant would be discharged.

The s.s. Kashmir.

The P and O steamer s.s. Kashmir, due to arrive at Hongkong on the 27th inst., will not arrive here until December 3 or 4.

Marche Funebre as the corpse was borne into the graveyard.

His Excellency and the various civilian authorities awaited the procession at the Monument, where they fell into line behind the Volunteers.

The Funeral Service was read by the Rev. W. T. Featherstone, of St. Paul's College, and, at its close, the customary three volleys were fired. The Last Post, played by the buglers of the Shropshire Light Infantry, brought the extremely impressive function to an end.

The service took place on a flat plot of ground within the Cemetery and the coffin was placed on an extemporised bier.

The procession was so long that the funeral service had almost concluded by the time the end of the procession had arrived at the Cemetery.

The ceremony partook of the nature of a funeral service, and at its conclusion, the coffin was removed. The deceased gentleman's remains are, we understand, to be cremated.

The lit of senders of wreaths is unavoidably held over till tomorrow.

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Auctioneer.

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Hongkong, 24th November, 1915.

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9-1 do 2 1/2 1-32

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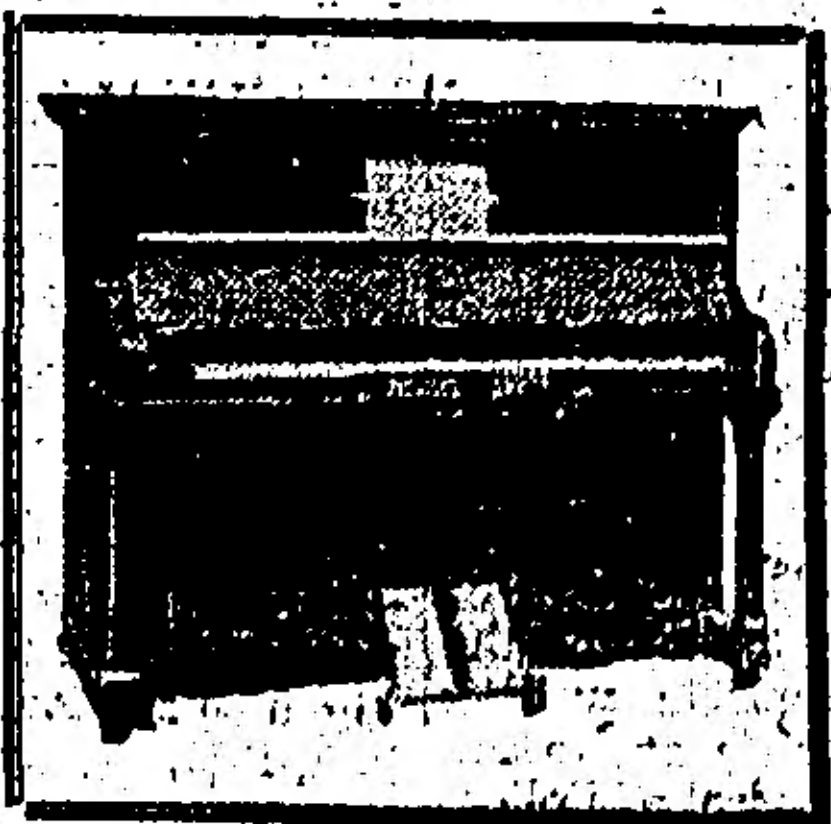
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Soup—Tong Yuk	15
Steak—Ngau Yuk Pa	20
do—Sirloin—Ngau Lau	30
Sausages—Ngau Cheung	24
Bullock's Brains—No	per set 10
Pork—fresh—Ngau Li	each 50
do—combed—Ham Ngau Li	60
Head—Ngau Tai	\$1.00
Heart—Ngau Sam	lb. 14
Ham, Salt—Ngau Kin	20
Feet—Ngau Kiu	each 11
Kidneys—Ngau Yau	11
Liver—Ngau Kon	18
Tripes—undressed—Ngau To	lb. 13
Calves Head & Feet—Ngau Tsai-tan-keuk	set \$1.00
Mutton Chop—Yeung Pei Kwat	lb. 25
Leg—Yeung Pei	25
Shoulder—Yeung Shau	24
Saddle	27
Pigs Chidlings—Chu Chong	27
Brains—Chu No	per set 24
Feet—Chu Keuk	lb. 13
Fry—Chu Chap	15
Head—Chu Tai	16
Heart—Chu Sam	each 11
Kidneys—Chu Yiu	18
Liver—Chu Kon	lb. 28
Pork Chop—Chu Pui Kwat	24
Combed—Ham Ngau Yuk	28
Leg—Chu Pui	28
Fat or Lard—Chu Yau	20
Sheeps Head and Feet—Yeung Tai Keuk	set 60
Heart—Yeung Sam	each 8
Kidneys—Yeung Yiu	12
Liver—Yeung Kon	lb. 26
Spoking Pigs to order—Chu Tai	22
Suet, Beef—Shang Ngau Yau	20
Mutton—Shang Yeung Yau	26
Veal—Ngau Tsai Yuk	19
Sausages—Ngau Tsai Cheung	20
Lard—Chu Yau	20

POULTRY.

Chicken—Kai Tsai	lb. 35
Capons, Large, Small—Sin Kai	32
Ducks—Ap	34
Doves—Fan Kan	18
Eggs, Hen—Kai Tan (cooking)	per doz 20
do—(fresh)	36
Fowls, Canton—Kai	lb. 42
Hainan—Hoi Nam Kai	30
Greese—Ngo	24
Pigeons, Canton—Pak Kap	each 28
Hohow—Hoi How Pak Kap	25
Snipe—Sha Tsai	each 22
Turkeys, Cook—Fo Kai Kung	lb. 60
Hen—Na	45
Pheasant—Shan Kai	75
Quail—Om Chun	25
Partridges—Che Ku	65

FISH.

Barbel—Ka Yu	lb. 16
Bream—Pin Yu	18
Canton Fresh Water Fish—Hoi Sin Yu	15
Carp—Li Yu	20
Codfish—Chik Yu	12
Codfish—Mau Yu	14
Crabs—Hoi	26
Cuttle Fish—Mau Yu	16
Dab—Sha Mang Yu	12
Dace—Wong Mei Lap	13
Dog Fish—Ti To Sha	10
Eels, Conger—Hoi Man	13
Fresh water—Tam Sui Yu	18
Eels, Yellow—Wong Sin	32
Frogs—Tin Kai	33
Garoupe—Shek Pan	40
Gudgeon—Pak Kap Yu	16
Herring—Tao Pak	20
Halibut—Cheung Kwai Kap	20
Labrus—Wong Fa Yu	18
Loach—Wu Yu	28
Lobsters—Mau Hs	28
Mackerel—Chi Yu	20
Milk Fish—Mau Yu	32
Mullet—Chai Yu	16
Oysters—Shang Ho	22
Parrot Fish—Kai Kwai Yu	12
Perch—Tao Yu	18
Pike—Pa Pan Fong	18
Plaice—Pan Yu	16
Pomfret, Black—Hak Chung	26
Pomfret, White—Pak Chung	28
Prawns—Ming Ha	38
Ray—Fai Fa Sha	10
Rock Fish—Shek Kau Kung	15
Roach—Chun Yu	12
Salmon—Ma Yau	36
Shark—Sha Yu	7
Skate—Po Yu	8
Shrimps—Hoi	28
Snappers—Lap Yu	28
Sole—Mau Hs	26
Tench—Wan Yu	10
Turbot—Chai Hoi Yu	18
Turtles, small, fresh water—Kau Yu	60

FRUITS.

Almonds—Rang Yan	lb. 35
Apples (California)—Kam Shan Ping Khe	18
do—(Chico)—Tin Chai Ping Khe	18

肉食

Bananas, fragrant, Canton—San Shing Heng Chiu lb.	3
do—(brides), Macao—San Heng Chiu	1
Chestnuts, Chinese—Foong Lut	1
Carambola—Yeung To	1
Coconuts—Ye Tse	each 12
Grapes—Po Tai Tse	lb. 35
Lemons, China—Ling Mang	8
do—America—Kam Shan, Ling Mang	10
Lichests Dried—Lai Chi, small Stone	lb. 28
do—Fresh	1
Oranges, (Canton)—Shan-shang Tin Ching	5
do—Sweet	8
Pears, (American)—Kam San Shoot Lay	10
do—(Canton), Cooking—Sha Li	10
Peanuts—Fa Shang	10
Plantain—Tai Chin	1
Plums—Swatow, Heng Lai	1
Pumelo, Siam—Chim Lo Yau	each 14
Shanghai—Lo Kwat	1
Walnuts—Hop To	lb. 15
do—Green—Sang Hop Tuo	1
Water Melon—(Am.) Kam San Sai Kwa	each 1

VEGETABLES, &c.

Artichokes, Shanghai—Sheung-hoi Ah Chi	lb. 8
Chenks	8
Beans, (French), Macao—Oh Moon Pin Tau	8
do—(French) Shanghai—Sheung Hai Pin	8
do—Sprout—Ah Choi	8
do—Long—Tau Kok	10
Beet Root—Hung Choi Tau	each 8
Bitter Squash—Fu Kwa	8
Brinjals, Green—Ching Yuan Kwa	8
do—Red—Hung Ke	8
Cabbage, Chinese, (common)—Kai Tsai	lb. 10
Cabbage, Shanghai—Ye Tsai	14
Cane Shoots, bunch—Kam Shan	8
Carrots—Kam Shan	10
Celery, Chinese—Tong Kan Tsai	8
Chillies Dried—Kun Lap Chiu	25
do—Red—Hung Fa Chiu	10
do—Green—Ching Lap Chiu	10
Curry Stuff, English—Ka Li Chu Liu	10
Cucumbers—Ching Kwa	each 2
Garlic—Sun Tau	10
Ginger, young—Sun Tao Keung	lb. 6
do—old—Lo Keung	6
Horse Radish, Shanghai—Lik Kan	12
Indian Corn—Suk Mai	each 1
Lettuce—Yeung Shang Tsai	1
Water Chestnuts—Ma Tai	lb. 6
do—Mandarin—Kwai Lam Ma Tai	8
Mushrooms, Fresh—Shang Cho Ko	35
Musk Melon, Amer.—Kam-san Hong Kwa	each 1
Onions	10
Onions Bombay—Yeung Chong Tau	8
do—Green—Shang Chong	8
do—Shanghai—Sheung-hoi Chong Tau	7
Parsley—Kun Tsai	10
Green Peas—Ching Tan	lb. 8
Potatoes, Sweet—Fan Sha	10
do—Shanghai—Sheung-hoi Shu Tsai	10
do—Japan—Yui Pun Shu Tsai	8
do—American—Fa Ki Shu Tsai	8
do—Koochow—Too-chow Shu Tsai	1
Pumpkin—Tung Kwa	3
Radish—Hung Lo Pak Tsai	5
Rhubarb (Fresh)—Tai Wong	1
Sage—Tao So	1
Shallots—Kon Chung Tau	8
Spinach—Yin Tsai	5
Tomatoes—Fan Ke	6
Taro—Wu Tau	6
Turnips, Punti, (Long)—Lo Pak	4
do—English—Yeung Lo Pak	4
Vegetable Marrow—Chit	4
do—(American)—Kai San Chit	1
Water Cress—Sai Yeung Tsai	12
do—Lily root—Lan Ngau	6
Yams—Ta Shu	6
English—Yeung Kan Choi	1

The above prices are in accordance with the Government list of maximum charges fixed by Proclamation as revised up to the 30th ult. The Proclamation also contained the following schedule of maximum retail prices:—

1. Flour:—	
(a.) Highest Grade, per bag of 50 lbs.	\$4.50
per lb.	10
(b.) Second Grade, per bag of 50 lbs.	4.00
per lb.	08
(c.) Third Grade, per bag of 50 lbs.	3.50
per lb.	07
2. Tinned Milk:—	
(a.) Sweetened Condensed Milk, per 1 lb. tin.	35
(b.) Unsweetened Condensed Milk, per 1 lb. tin.	25
(c.) Sterilized Milk, per tin, (18 oz.)	25
(d.) Sterilized Milk, per 1 litre tin.	35
(e.) Eagle Brand, per 1 lb. tin.	35
(f.) Skimmed Milk, per 1 lb. tin.	20
3. Sugar:—	
Cane, (in 6 lb. tins), per tin.	1.15
Refined Crystallized, per lb.	14
Granulated, per lb.	14
Soft, No. 1 quality, per lb.	13
No. 2	12
Cooking Salt, 2 cents per lb.	
4. Frozen Meat:—	
The Dairy Farm, prices for frozen food and other stores published on 1st September, 1914, with all changes in prices shown in red ink, are the maximum retail prices for the articles enumerated in the price list of that date. [Approved copies signed by the Chairman and the Secretary of the Food Committee can be seen either at the Treasury or on the premises of the Dairy Farm Company in Wyndham Street.]	
5. Market Produce:—(See above)	
6. The prices of provisions imported from countries other than China (excepting those above enumerated) may not be raised more than 15 per cent. above the retail prices prevailing in the Colony on the 25th July, 1914.	
Notes.—In consideration of the loss sustained by discount or out of pocket charges, payment for all articles of food not exceeding 1 lb. in value (excepting the articles enumerated in clause 5 in Proclamation No. 18 of the 30th October, 1914, and in the above Schedule) shall be made in 50 cents coin by subject of an additional charge of 15 per cent.	

菓子

仁丹	1
萬應靈丹	1
萬應靈丹	1

NOTICE

CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE CO., LTD.

NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the China Traders' Insurance Company Limited will be held at the Head Office of the Company No. 2 Queen's Buildings, Ico House Street, Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong on Saturday the 4th day of December 1915 at 12.15 o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of considering, and if thought fit, passing as Extraordinary Resolutions the following Resolutions, that is to say:—

1.—That Article No. 9 of the Company's Articles of Association which now reads:—

"The Company shall have a first and paramount lien upon all the shares of any shareholder for all monies due to the Company either from him alone or jointly with any other person, and where a share is held by more persons than one the Company shall have a lien thereon in respect of all monies due to it from all or any of the holders thereof."

be eliminated in its entirety, and that in lieu thereof the following new Article be inserted as Article No. 9:—

9.—The Company shall have a first and paramount lien upon all the shares registered in the name of each shareholder (whether solely or jointly with others) and upon the proceeds of sale thereof, for his debts liabilities and engagements, and solely or jointly with any other person, to or with the Company, whether the period for the payment, fulfilment or discharge thereof shall have actually arrived or not, and no equitable interest in any share shall be created except upon the footing and condition that Clause 33a hereof is to have full effect. And such lien shall extend to all dividends from time to time declared in respect of such share."

2.—That after Article No. 33 of the Company's Articles of Association the following new Article be inserted as Article No. 33a:—

33a.—Save as herein otherwise provided the Company shall be entitled to treat the registered holder of any share as the absolute owner thereof, and accordingly shall not, except as ordered by a Court of competent jurisdiction, or as by Ordinance required, be bound to recognise any equitable or other claim to or interest in such share on the part of any other person, firm, Company or Corporation."

3.—That the heading of Articles Nos. 94 to 99 (inclusive) of the Company's Articles of Association reading:— "the Secretary be altered so as to read 'the General Manager'; and that in the last mentioned Articles (Nos. 94 to 99 inclusive) wherever the word 'Secretary' appears such word be eliminated and that in lieu thereof the words 'General Manager' be inserted."

4.—That in the following Articles of the Company's Articles of Association, viz:— "Articles Nos. 2, 7, 24, 35, 44, 46, 52, 54, 83, 93, 102 and 128 the word 'Secretary' wherever it occurs be eliminated and that in lieu thereof the words 'General Manager' be inserted."

Should the above Resolutions be passed by the requisite majority, they will be submitted for confirmation as Special Resolutions to a Second Extraordinary General Meeting which will be subsequently convened.

Dated this 22nd day of November 1915.

By Order of the Board,

C. MONTAGUE EDE,

Secretary.

Hongkong 22nd November, 1915.

NOTICE

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LTD.

Notice is hereby given that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of The Union Insurance Society of Canton, Limited will be held at the Head Office of the Society No. 2 Queen's Buildings, Ico House Street, Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong, on Saturday, the 4th day of December, 1915 at 12 o'clock noon for the purpose of considering, and if thought fit, passing as Extraordinary Resolutions, that is to say:—

1.—That the Capital of the Society be increased to \$4,000,000 (Four million Dollars) by the creation of 3,600 (Three Thousand and six hundred) additional ordinary shares of \$250 (Two hundred and fifty Dollars) each, whereof \$100 (One hundred Dollars) shall be credited as paid up ranking for dividend and in all other respects par passu with the existing ordinary shares of the Society; and that the said additional shares, so far as shall be necessary for the purpose, be issued to those Shareholders of the China Fire Insurance Company, Limited, who have accepted or shall accept the Society's offer made to them on the 4th day of August, 1915—such issue being in accordance with the terms of a contract or memorandum in writing made or to be made pursuant to the said offer and to be filed with the Registrar of Companies; and that the balance (if any) of the said additional shares be disposed of by the Society's Board of Directors in such manner as such Board shall think most beneficial to the Society."

2.—That Article No. 9 of the Society's Articles of Association which now reads:—

"The Society shall have a first and paramount lien upon all the shares of any shareholder for all monies due to the Society either from him alone or jointly with any other person, and where a share is held by more persons than one the Society shall have a lien thereon in respect of all monies due to it from all or any of the holders thereof."

be eliminated in its entirety, and that in lieu thereof the following new Article be inserted as Article No. 9:—

9.—The Society shall have a first and paramount lien upon all the shares registered in the name of each shareholder (whether solely or jointly with others) and upon the proceeds of sale thereof, for his debts liabilities and engagements, and solely or jointly with any other person, to or with the Society, whether the period for the payment, fulfilment or discharge thereof shall have actually arrived or not, and no equitable interest in any share shall be created except upon the footing and condition that Clause 33a hereof is to have full effect. And such lien shall extend to all dividends from time to time declared in respect of such share."

3.—That after Article No. 34 of the Society's Articles of Association the following new Article be inserted as Article No. 34a:—

34a.—Save as herein otherwise provided the Society shall be entitled to treat the registered holder of any share as the absolute owner thereof, and accordingly shall not, except as ordered by a Court of competent jurisdiction, or as by Ordinance required, be bound to recognise any equitable or other claim to or interest in such share on the part of any other person, firm, Company or Corporation."

4.—That the heading of Articles Nos. 95 to 100 (inclusive) of the Society's Articles of Association reading:— "the Secretary be altered so as to read 'the General Manager'; and that in the last mentioned Articles (Nos. 95 to 100 inclusive) wherever the word 'Secretary' appears such word be eliminated and that in lieu thereof the word 'General Manager' be inserted."

CONSIGNEES

AMERICAN & ORIENTAL LINE.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. From NEW YORK THE Steamship

"INVERIC" having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf & Godown Co., Ltd. from whence delivery may be obtained.

No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 22nd November will be subject to rent. All claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Under- signed on or before the 29th Nov. or they will not be recognised.

All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 22nd November at 2 p.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

THE BANK LINE LTD. General Agents, Hongkong, 16th November, 1915.

TOYO KISEN KAISHA. From SAN FRANCISCO, via HONOLULU, JAPAN PORTS and SHANGHAI.

s.s. "TENYO MARU"

The above named Steamer having arrived, Consignees of cargo are hereby notified to send in their Bills of Lading for counter- signature, and to take immediate delivery of Cargo from alongside, Cargo remaining undelivered on 24th Nov. at noon, will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense, and delivery must then be taken from the Company's Godown. Storage charges will be assessed on all Goods remaining undelivered on 29th November at noon.

No Fire Insurance whatever will be effected. No Claim will be recognised after the Goods have left the Steamer or Godown.

All chafed and damaged cargo will be landed into the Godown, where they will be examined on 1st December at 10 a.m.

No Claim will be recognised if filed after 7th December, 1915.

K. DOI, Actg. Agent, Hongkong, 23rd November, 1915

PUBLIC AUCTION.

HUGHES & HOUGH, AUCTIONEERS

The undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, (For Account of the concerned),

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5.—That in the following Articles Nos. 2, 7, 25, 36, 45, 47, 53, 55, 84, 94, 103 and 129 the word "Secretary" wherever it occurs be eliminated and that in lieu thereof the words "General Manager" be inserted."

Should the above Resolutions be passed by the requisite majority, they will be submitted for confirmation as Special Resolutions to a Second Extraordinary General Meeting which will be subsequently convened.

Dated this 22nd day of November, 1915.

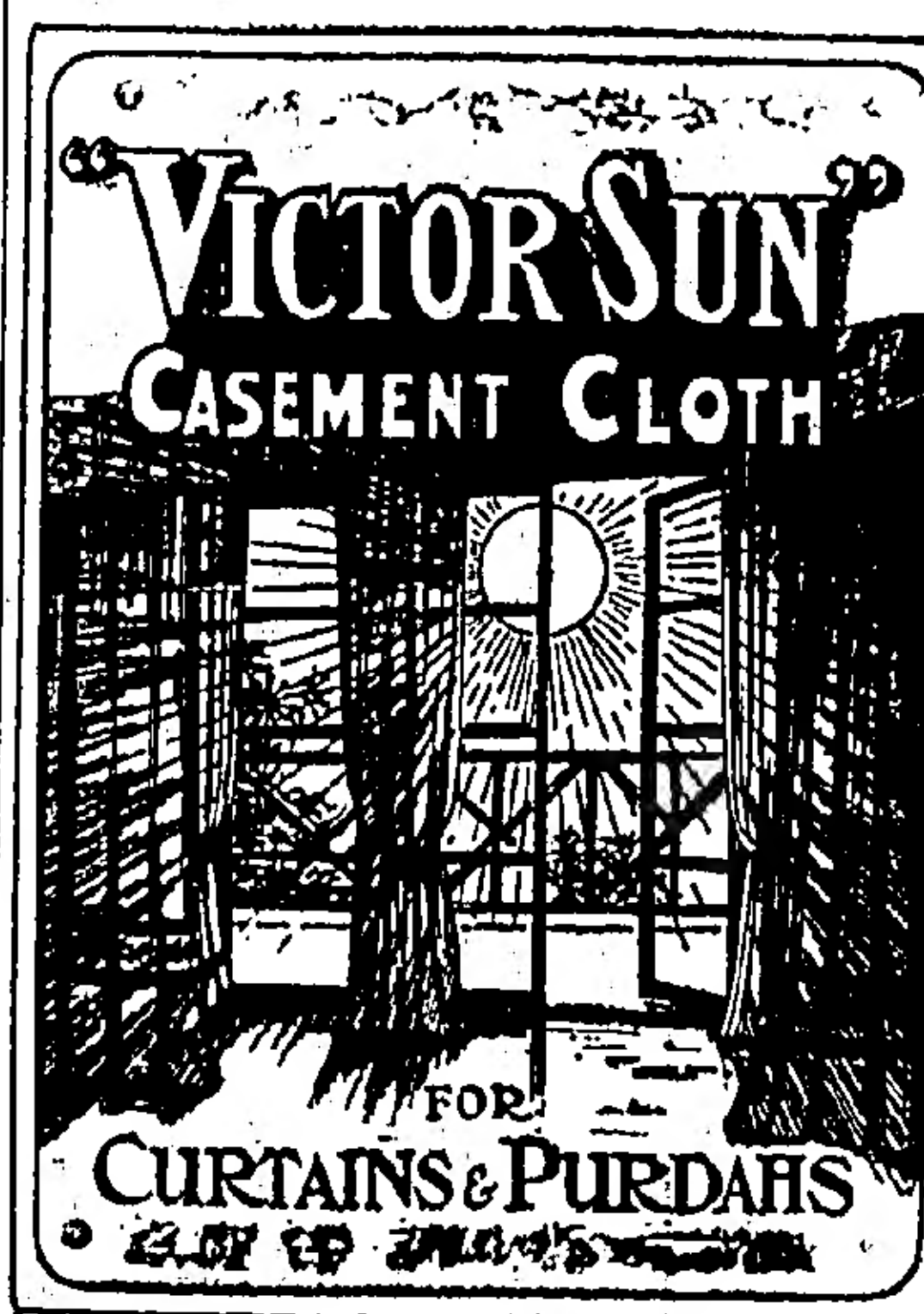
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NOTICES

IN THE MATTER OF THE COMPANIES' ORDINANCES 1911 and 1913

and IN THE MATTER OF THE PICTURE PALACE COMPANY OF CHINA, LIMITED. (In Liquidation).

FIRST RETURN OF CAPITAL.

Notice is hereby given that a First Return of Capital of \$4.50 per share will be payable on and after Friday, the 26th November, 1915, at the offices of the Under- signed, No. 5 Queen's Road Central, First Floor, during office hours.

Members are requested to produce their Share Certificates when applying for payment. No Return of Capital will be made unless the Share Certificates are produced.

Dated this 19th day of November, 1915.

PERCY SMITH, SETH & FLEMING, Liquidators.

IN THE MATTER OF THE COMPANIES' ORDINANCES, 1911 and 1913

and IN THE MATTER OF THE PICTURE PALACE COMPANY OF CHINA, LIMITED. (In Liquidation).

A First and Final Dividend of 100% has been declared in the above matter.

Notice is hereby given that the above-mentioned Dividend may be received at the offices of the Under- signed, No. 5 Queen's Road Central, First Floor, on Friday, the 26th November, 1915, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 12.30 p.m. and on any subsequent day between the same hours, except Sunday.

Creditors applying for payment must produce any Bills of Exchange or other Securities held by them and must sign a Receipt in the prescribed form.

Dated this 19th day of November, 1915.

PERCY SMITH, SETH & FLEMING, Liquidators.

NOTICES

SILIMPONON (SEBATTIK) COAL.

The undersigned having been appointed Agents for the Cowie Harbour Coal Co., Ltd. are prepared to quote prices for best quality Silimpopon Coal trimmed into Bunkers at Sebatik or Sandakan (British North Borneo).

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Charts of Sibuko Bay, (Sebatik Harbour) Prices, and all other information concerning the Port can be had on application to the Agents.

BRADLEY & Co., Ltd. Agents Cowie Harbour Coal Co., Ltd. Hongkong, 8th June, 1915.

G. R.

NOTICE.

Any European, Non-Asiatic or Indian desiring to leave the Colony should apply in writing for permission to do so to the Captain Superintendent of Police, at least 48 hours before the intended hour of departure, giving name, nationality, age, sex, height and occupation of the applicant, and stating the name of the steamer or other vessel or the hour of the train by which the applicant wishes to leave. Applicants should apply in person for their papers at the Central Police Station between the hours of 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. daily. Hongkong 9th July, 1915.

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G. R. IN HIS BRITANNIC MAJESTY'S CONSULAR COURT, AT CANTON. Probate Jurisdiction.

CITATION FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION.

In the goods of Smollett Campbell, Deceased.

In virtue of an Order of His Majesty's said Court, bearing date this day, I do hereby monish and cite all and all manner of persons to appear in the said Court on or before the 28th day of November, 1915 and show cause, if any they have, why letters of administration (with the will annexed) of all and singular the goods, chattels, rights, and credits of Smollett Campbell late of Macao, China, who died at Hongkong on August 20th, 1915, should not be granted unto Archibald Smollett Campbell, Attorney for Ella Grace Campbell of 48 Brunswick Gardens, Kensington, London, England, the widow of the said testator and the universal legatee named in the will, as in default thereof the Court will proceed to grant the same accordingly.

Canton, Thursday, the 24th day of October, 1915.

Ed. B. S. PRATT, Vice-Consul and Additional Judge.

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